PATENT APPLICATION

THE UNEVED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Didier RAOULT et al.

Group Art Unit: 1645

Application No.: 09/936,921

Examiner:

P. Baskar

Filed: September 24, 2001

Docket No.:

110530

For:

DIAGNOSIS OF WHIPPLE'S DISEASE

MAIL STOP RCE

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the submission filed November 10, 2004.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. <u>162016</u> in the amount of \boxtimes \$790.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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